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D'Amelio Announces Committee Assignments



HARTFORD- State Representative Tony D'Amelio (R-Waterbury) today announced that he has appointed by House Minority Leader Robert M. Ward (R-North Branford) to serve as the Ranking member of the Insurance and Real Estate Committee once again. He will also serve as a member of the powerful budget-writing

Appropriations Committee and the General Law Committee during the 2005-07 term.

"Tony D'Amelio has distinguished himself during his tenure in the House as Ranking Member on the Insurance Committee," said Representative Ward. "Tony's extensive knowledge and experience with his background in both insurance and real estate issues have proven indispensable as that committee has reviewed legislation in these areas that will impact all of Connecticut's residents. I know that he will continue to do great work on this committee."

"I am honored to be returned as Ranking Member of the Insurance and Real Estate Committee," said Representative D'Amelio. "I look forward to the challenges before that committee this session, as well as those before Appropriations and General Law."

D'Amelio noted that one of the biggest challenges this session will be before the Appropriations Committee as the General Assembly addresses the nearly \$1.3 billion budget deficit.

Representative D'Amelio was first elected in a special election in 1996. He is currently serving his fifth full term serving the people of Waterbury and Middlebury, which began January 5th, 2005.